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This Information Disclosure Statement is filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98.

The contents of this statement follow the outline of 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a). By this Information Disclosure Statement, applicant wishes to bring the following documents to the attention of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

U.S. Patents

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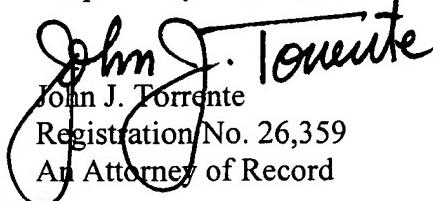
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Copies of these references are enclosed herewith. Also enclosed in duplicate is an accompanying form equivalent to PTO-1449, listing the art cited by applicant. The relevance of each of these references is summarized in the Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.121(a) being filed concurrently herewith. The Examiner is respectfully requested to mark on one copy of the enclosed form that the Examiner has reviewed the listed documents and return the marked copy to applicant's undersigned attorneys at the below listed address.

Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 in the amount of \$180.00 for the submission of this Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed herewith. Also, authorization is granted to charge our deposit account no. 18-1644 for any additional fees necessary for entry of this Information Disclosure Statement.

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